

TIME CRITICAL REMOVAL ACTION
HAYSTACK MINES SITE, MCKINLEY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO
ADMINISTRATIVE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT AND ORDER ON CONSENT FOR REMOVAL
ACTION
CERCLA DOCKETS NO. 09-2017-02 AND 06-02-17

Progress Report

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Completed Activities during the Reporting Period (February 18 to March 15, 2019):

- Continued to evaluate legal issues as part of the effort to offer a relocation package to the Ex. 6 Personal Privacy (PP) currently residing on Section 18.
- Continued developing the construction bid specification package for the proposed TCRA activities.
- USEPA, Navajo Nation EPA, New Mexico Environment Department, BNSF, and Arcadis participated in a conference call on March 1, 2019 to discuss TCRA implementation, schedule, access coordination progress, and path forward.

Planned Activities for Next Reporting Period (March 18 to April 15, 2019):

- Determine if there is a legal or other process in place to prevent other individuals from obtaining a residential lease on or near the Abandoned Uranium Mine boundary. Assuming resolution of these issues, provide a relocation offer package to Section 18 residents for their review.
- Solicit construction bids from and schedule a bid walk with contractors for future implementation of the TCRA field activities.
- Continue submittal of monthly project status reports and participation in project coordination conference calls.
- Continue effort to plan actions for engagement of local community stakeholders.
- Continue discussions with the regulatory agencies on TCRA activities.

Items/Topics of Note: None